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I. U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Date Issued</u>	<u>Title</u>
4,261,966 to Portes <i>et al.</i>	April 14, 1981	Process for the Preparation of Pigment Grade Iron Oxides from Ferrous Sulphate and the Resulting FE_2O_3 Pigments
4,620,879 to Burow <i>et al.</i>	November 4, 1986	Iron Oxide Yellow Pigments Having a Low Silking Effect and a Process for Production Thereof

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4,698,100 to Burow <i>et al.</i>	October 6, 1987	Iron Oxide Yellow Pigments Having a Low Silking Effect and a Process for Production Thereof
4,702,776 to Hoffner <i>et al.</i>	October 27, 1987	Preparation of Pigmentary Red Iron Oxides
5,032,180 to Kröckert <i>et al.</i>	July 16, 1991	Process for the Production of Iron Oxide Yellow Pigments
5,185,141 to Kröckert <i>et al.</i>	February 9, 1993	Process for the Production of Iron Oxide Yellow Pigments
5,916,360 to Braun <i>et al.</i>	June 29, 1999	Process for the Preparation of Iron Oxide Yellow Pigments and the Use Thereof
6,042,642 to Braun <i>et al.</i>	March 28, 2000	Iron Oxide Yellow Pigments, A Method of Producing Iron Oxide Yellow Pigments and the Use Thereof
6,117,228 to Burow <i>et al.</i>	September 12, 2000	Heat-Stable Iron Oxide Yellow Pigments
6,179,908 to Braun <i>et al.</i>	January 30, 2001	Iron Oxide Red Pigments, Process for the Production of Iron Oxide Red Pigments and Use Thereof

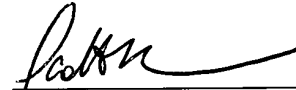
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